

REMARKS

Applicants are amending the drawings to correct a few minor errors that were made when formal drawings were being prepared. As no new matter is believed to be added by any of these amendments, it is requested that this amendment be entered in the present application.

Applicants are also adding new claims to prosecute in this application.

The fee for new claims has been calculated as shown below.

| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest Number Previously Paid For | Present Extra | Rate | Fee |
|---|---|---|---|------------------|--|----------|
| Total | 15 | - | 20 | 0 | (small entity) x 9 (others) x 18 | \$ 0.00 |
| Independent | 4 | - | 3 | 1 | (small entity) x 43 (others) x 86 | \$ 86.00 |
| Multiple Dependent (First Presentation) | | | | | (small entity) + 145 (others) + 290 | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEES | | | | | | \$ 86.00 |

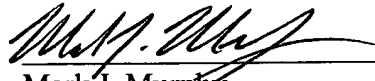
Applicants are enclosing the \$ 86.00 fee for the new claims and new independent claims.

If any further fee is due for this submission, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1039.

Favorable consideration is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 4, 2003

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Mark J. Murphy', is written over a horizontal line.

Mark J. Murphy

Registration No. 34,225

COOK, ALEX, McFARRON, MANZO,
CUMMINGS & MEHLER, LTD.
200 West Adams Street
Suite 2850
Chicago, Illinois 60606
(312) 236-8500

IN THE DRAWINGS:

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Fig. 1F, Fig. 8D, Fig. 17C and Fig. 25.

These sheets replace the original sheets for these drawings.

Attachment: Replacement Sheets

Annotated Sheets Showing Changes